

Warden on Duty for February.

Sandra Taylor

Sunday, February 24h.

8:30am– Holy Eucharist

10am - Holy Eucharist

7pm– Faith Café/ Gospel Hymn Sing

Sidespersons, February 24th.

Team #5 Alf

Eucharistic Assistants,

February 24th.

8:30am– Clarence

10am– Barb P., Betty and Clarence

Greeters, February 24th.

10am– Jocelyn and Dave Fagan

Readers, February 24th.

Sunday School

Servers, February 24th.

Hannah

Tiffany

Karen

**Bible Study for this evening @ 7pm
has been cancelled!**

Choir Practice

Wednesday, February 20th at 8pm

Counting Team, February 24th.

Team #7 Aura Farrell

Worship Service Planners Schedule

February 24th—Clergy with S.S.

March 3rd—Men's Fellowship

March 10th—Betty

March 17th—Carol

March 24th—Clergy

Baptism dates for 2013

Baptism prep April 4th – Baptism April 7th

Baptism prep May 9th – Baptism May 12th

Baptism prep June 6th – Baptism June 9th

Baptism prep July 11th – Baptism July 14th

Baptism prep Aug 8th – Baptism Aug 11th

Baptism prep Sept 5th – Baptism Sept 8th

Baptism prep Oct 17th – Baptism Oct 20th

Baptism prep Nov 7th – Baptism Nov 10th

Baptism prep Dec 5th – Baptism Dec 8th

Hall Walkers

Every Monday and Thursday from

9:30am to 10:30am in the downstairs

Parish Hall. Admission is a minimum of

\$1.00.

Worship Service Planners

On a go forward basis, we request that your services be completed 2 weeks prior to the service date. This will help the office work more efficiently. Thank you for cooperation everyone!

We welcome any newcomers to our parish and invite you to give us a call at 834-4501 or send an email to office@allsaintsparish.ca with your contact information. If you are interested in finding out about our parish, check out our parish website at www.allsaintsparish.ca or call the office to set up an appointment with one of the clergy.

ALL SAINTS ANGLICAN CHURCH

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THE CANDLE

February 17, 2013

Mission Statement

The purpose of All Saints is to be a family of worshipping Christians dedicated to Christian Education, Spiritual Growth, Pastoral Care, Outreach and Fellowship.

AGM

Please mark your calendar for our next annual general meeting. It is scheduled for Sunday, March 3rd. We will begin our gathering with a pot-luck supper at 5pm, a service of evening prayer at 6pm, followed by our meeting at 6:30pm.

- ⇒ I would like to thank the Parish of All Saints for your wonderful response to the Christmas Hampers. We raised \$3,025.00. The Food Bank prepared 240 hampers for the less fortunate of CBS.
- ⇒ The World Day of Prayer Service is being held at Faith Pentecostal Church on Foxtrap Access Road on February 28, 2013 at 7:30pm. Plan to attend and bring a friend with you. All are welcome!

Lead us not into temptation

A man decided it was time to shed some excess pounds. He took his new diet seriously, even changing his driving route to avoid his favorite bakery. One morning, however, he showed up at work with a gigantic coffee cake. Everyone in the office scolded him, but his smile remained nonetheless. "This is a special coffee cake," he explained. "I accidentally drove by the bakery this morning and there in the window was a host of goodies. I felt it was no accident, so I prayed, 'Lord, if you want me to have one of those delicious coffee cakes, let there be a parking spot open right in front.' And sure enough, the eighth time around the block, there it was!" All of us know what it is to enter the wilderness of temptation. Temptation is part and parcel of the human condition.

Marriage Course

If you are planning a wedding at All Saints in 2013 please clear your calendar for our Marriage Course which has been scheduled for Saturday, April 20th, 2013

All Saints Parish Confirmation Program

Registration for the September program of Faith Café is taking place from Monday to Friday from 9am to 3pm. Please call the Parish Hall office at 834-4501 to have your child/children registered.

Bible Study on Book of Revelation

Will take place at the home of Madeline Critchell, 5 Venice Hights. Every Monday from 2 to 3:30pm starting February 18th. To register please contact Madeline Critchell at 834-9769.

All Saints ACW Announcements

Mark your calendar for the St. Patrick's Day Brunch on Saturday, March 9, 2013 at 10am at the Parish Hall.

Pennies from Heaven

As of February 4, 2013 all stores are going to be stopping the use of penny's. But, however, the banks will still be taking penny's. Let us see how many we can raise together as a Parish for the renovations of our Church. Please bring in all your penny's laying around your house and we will get a group together to count them. Thank you!!

Flea Market

Will be held on February 23, 2013 from 10am to 3pm at All Saints Parish Hall. To rent a table call Barb Tilley 834-4795. Soup/Sandwiches and Moose Burgers will be served throughout the day. All proceeds going toward our Church Renovation Project.

Skit Night

Skits/Music/Refreshments—All Saints Parish Ways and Means Committee are holding a skit night on March 2nd, 2013 starting at 7:30pm.

These skits will be performed by the Topsail SUF. Players and friends, music intervals between skits will be performed by Saints Alive Band. Tickets are \$8.00 single and can be purchased at the door.

⇒ Please mark your calendars for September 14, 2013 for the Golf Tournament. All proceeds going towards the Renovation Fund.

Memorials

Memorials have been given to All Saints Parish Renovation Fund in Loving Memory of

- ⇒ **Wilson Rideout** remembering his death February 14th & **Patricia Rideout** by Barb and family
- ⇒ **Olive Dawe** remembering her death February 12th by Barb and family
- ⇒ **Esther Frances Greenslade** by Brenda, Bernice, Carla, Monique, Marie and Heather
- ⇒ **Emily Bussey** remembering her death February 17th, 1995 by Eric and Amy Dodge
- ⇒ **Wilson & Pat Rideout & Olive Dawe** by Barb and family

Memorials have been given to All Saints Parish Flowers Fund in Loving Memory of

- ⇒ **Grace Rideout** by daughter Sue Rideout-Vivian

This morning 3 Paintings are dedicated to the Glory of God in Loving Memory of

- ⇒ **Douglas Butler** remembering his birthday February 17th by family
- ⇒ **Rideout & Dawe family members** who are with the Lord by Madonna and Harold
- ⇒ **Cavell Shepherd** by family

Paintings done by Selina Benson

Prayer

Prayer comes in many forms. It is not only us asking God for blessings, mercy or favours. There is more to it than that. Prayer is also listening; listening in the silence for God to speak to you. Prayer can be said out loud or thought of in silence. Prayer can be long-winded or one word such as "Thank you".

Prayer is an easy habit to form. Every morning as you awake, say a prayer of "thank you" for your deliverance from the night into another beautiful day. God gives you another chance to get it right and make a difference with each new day. At mid-day, say a prayer of 'adoration' for a beautiful sun-shiny or rainy day that is adorned with trees, flowers and birds, made by the hands of the mighty Creator. At supper time, remember all the goodness's God has given you throughout the day and continue to ask God for never ending mercies. At bedtimes, petition God to keep you safe during the night. Ask God to cover you with the PEACE THAT PASSES ALL UNDERSTANDING. Seek his blessings for those whom you love; for those whom you do not understand; for those whom you miss and are departed from this world. At the end of the day, you will have covered off a whole day of prayer. Prayer is the best way, which I know of, to quieten your mind, body and soul at the end of a long day while you are preparing for a good night's rest. Place your whole being into his hands and drift off to sleep confident in his love and his mercy and his ability to provide a good night's rest. Nothing supports a good night's sleep better than knowledge of the fact that our God is a LIVING God, who wants only the best for his children. St. Paul reminds us that we all are 'a child of God and an inheritor to the kingdom of heaven'.

Lent is here. Please consider this: You do not have to GIVE UP something for Lent. You can actually TAKE UP something for Lent. I suggest that you might want to take up saying more PRAYERS. Consider saying a prayer morning, noon, supertime and bedtime. Focus on JESUS. JESUS will provide the words and the feelings. This is one of my favourite prayers: "JESUS CHRIST, SON OF THE LIVING GOD, HAVE MERCY ON ME, A SINNER". I say it over and over again until I really mean it. The peace that prayer offers is beyond belief!